



PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77518

Katsuya KISHIKAWA, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/661,580

Group Art Unit: 1614

Confirmation No.: 8051

Examiner: Brian Yong S. Kwon

Filed: September 15, 2003

For: USE OF SPHINGOSINE 1-PHOSPHATE AS ACTIVE INGREDIENT FOR THE
TREATMENT OF PULMONARY FIBROSIS

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please review and enter the following remarks summarizing the interview conducted on

June 5, 2006:

REMARKS

An Examiner's Interview Summary Record (PTO-413) was attached with the Notice of allowance dated June 12, 2006.

The interview was initiated by the Examiner. Therefore, no further recordation by the Applicant is believed to be required.

During the interview, the following was discussed:

1. Brief description of exhibits or demonstration: None.
2. Identification of claims discussed: Claim 5.
3. Identification of art discussed: None.

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4. Identification of principal proposed amendments: Amend claim 5 to recite that the administration is to a patient in need of treatment.

5. Brief Identification of principal arguments: None.

6. Indication of other pertinent matters discussed: None.

7. Results of Interview: Applicant agreed to amend claim 5 as set forth above.

It is respectfully submitted that the instant STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.2 and 1.133 and MPEP §713.04.

It is believed that no petition or fee is required. However, if the USPTO deems otherwise, Applicant hereby petitions for any extension of time which may be required to maintain the pendency of this case, and any required fee, except for the Issue Fee, for such extension is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880.

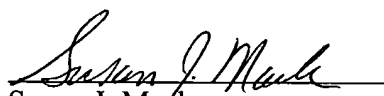
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